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THE ELIZABETH MINE

Manager Sullivan's Report Read at Annual Meeting in London, Eng.

Mr. Sullivan, M. E., manager of the Anglo-Canadian Gold Estates, sent the following report to the head office of his company in London, Eng., which was read at the annual general meeting held recently:—

"When I left the Elizabeth on 30th of September the main shaft had attained a depth of 202 ft. The faulted, or south, portion of the lode which, as shown in my plan, has been thrown about 60 ft. west, has now joined the main lode, and we have quartz in both ends of the shaft. We have still to sink some 12 to 15 ft. before reaching the rich chute penetrated by borehole No. 1. The quartz is extremely hard. The first level has now been driven 44 ft. The hanging wall of this level is all in quartz. There is about 2 ft. in the breast, worth \$10.00 to \$12.00, and I am unable to tell as yet how much more outside of this. In the 2nd level we have crossed about 20 ft. to intersect the lode at 130 ft. from the surface. The quartz here is about 1 ft. wide, and particularly well mineralized, and gives about \$15.00 per ton. I anticipate that the concentrates at this point will be very valuable. The work done in the Elizabeth is the record for hand sinking in this district."

12th October.—The 1st level is in 50 ft. and looking its best, and the 2nd level is yielding very good specimens of free gold. The shaft is down 205 ft., is entirely in quartz, and has quartz on both walls. Permanent headgear is up and working very satisfactorily. Boiler and engine-house were in course of erection and should be completed by now. 14th November.—After finishing contract on 10th October the contractors did the necessary timbering in the shaft, during last week I put a single shift on company time and additional men left Port Arthur to-day to complete a double shift. We should get very good ore as soon as we break into the 2nd level, which will be about 25 ft. below the point where our deepest borehole intersected the lode. The ore from this, you will remember, gave us \$22.00 over a width of 4 ft. 9 ins.

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tion already granted, continued. Costs to plaintiffs on High Court scale. G. F. Shepley, K.C., and T. R. Ferguson, (Rat Portage), for plaintiffs. C. A. Masten and A. McLennan, (Rat Portage), for defendants.

Town of Rat Portage v. Citizens' Telephone & Electric Co., of Rat Portage.—Judgment (H.) in action tried at Rat Portage, brought to have a contract between the parties declared void because (1) no by-law was passed authorizing or sanctioning the contract; (2) the contract was not executed by a duly authorized agent of plaintiffs; and (3) the agreement was not drawn, signed or sealed in a way to bind the plaintiffs. Action dismissed with costs. Defendants declared entitled to a declaration that as between the parties the contract is a valid and binding one, and the plaintiffs should carry it out in all respects. C. A. Masten and A. McLennan, (Rat Portage), for plaintiffs. G. F. Shepley, K.C., and T. R. Ferguson, (Rat Portage), for defendants.

WINNIPEG IN SYMPATHY.

The Thistles Are Backed by Papers. Criticism of Vics

The editorial columns of Saturday's Tribune contain the following article in the recent decision of the M. & N. W. H. A. —"It is a matter of regret to the hockey loving people of this city that the Rat Portagers have not been admitted to the senior league this year. In saying this we are not criticising or condemning the action of the executive; we are not in a position to pass judgment upon it and we have no doubt, but that it acted for what it thought was the best. But Winnipeg audiences would like to see more of the Rat Portage team in the senior matches. If interest in our local senior contests is to be kept up something of that sort will have to be done."

The sporting Editor of the "Star" paper, speaks more strongly. He says:—"A large number of the hockey enthusiasts of the city have spoken rather harshly against the action of the council of the Manitoba and Northwest Hockey association in excluding the Rat Portage team from the senior series and one gentleman in conversation with a Tribune reporter said:—

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ALL-OVER-CANADA ITEMS.

Boiled Down into Readable Paragraphs for Busy People.

Sudge Weller, of Peterboro, is seriously ill.

Chief Justice McGill, of British Columbia, is dead.

Peter Lamoureux, a resident of Kingston for forty years, is dead.

Pembroke's centenarian, Mr. Peter Whalen, died a week ago, aged 102 years.

E. H. D. Hall succeeds E. H. Edwards, K.C., as town solicitor for Peterboro.

There will be a recount of the ball lots in St. James' division, Montreal.

The mother of six children was convicted of theft at Hamilton recently.

Thomas S. Rockaway, a miner, was found frozen to death near Nelson, B.C.

Two London barbers were fined recently \$20 each for doing business on Sunday.

Editor W. A. Whitney, of the St. Lawrence News, dropped dead at Trois-Rivières, Ont.

George Gilson shot and killed Archibald Graves in a street row in Alton, Ont.

Mrs. C. P. Hibben, wife of a furniture dealer in Melita, Man., was found dead in bed at Sunderland, Ont.

The accounts of Hume Macaul, treasurer of Essex county, are \$1.80 short. He says he will pay every cent.

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Nathan B. Stubblefield, an electrician of Murray, Ky., claims to have discovered wireless telephony.

It will take several thousand dollars to repair the C. P. R. cable between Vancouver and Victoria.

A man named O'Brien was badly cut in an assault by a fellow workman in a camp near Golden B. C.

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A CORNATION REGATTA.

George Towns, the world's champion oarsman, in a letter from Newcastle-on-Tyne, to a Toronto friend says: "I made two matches yesterday (January 9) for Pearce to row Barry, 25 miles, in their best boats in five weeks' time, and one mile, Christmas handicap boats, two weeks later. I don't think there will be much done here in match racing until well on in the summer, and then, of course, there is no saying what will be done as there is some talk of getting up a cormation regatta. If so the prizes will no doubt be amounts large enough to induce some Canadian and American scullers and rowers to come over and take part."

"Expect to go back to Australia after the summer, as there is no rowing here now worth speaking about."

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT CO. CASES.

Before Britton, J. Citizens Telephone and Electric Light Co., of Rat Portage, v. Town of Rat Portage—Judgment (H.) in action tried at Rat Portage, brought to restrain the defendants from amending By-Law No. 105, as already amended, so as to reduce the rates which the plaintiff company is entitled to charge for light to consumers in the Town of Rat Portage. Judgment for plaintiffs with a declaration that the defendants have not the right during the existence of the present contract to alter or change without the consent of the plaintiffs, the rates charged in the conduct of its light and telephone business. Injunction.

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HOUSE BURNT ON 6th ST.

The Structure and Contents a Complete Loss—No Insurance.

An alarm of fire was rung in this afternoon from 6th street, and when the brigade arrived the one-story house of J. Marchant, a helper in the round-house, was found to be in flames. Two streams were quickly brought to play but the house was hopelessly gutted before the brigade arrived, and all they could do was to confine the fire to the building in which it started. The house was not insured and will therefore be a complete loss to the owner.

The brigade turned out very promptly and had the two streams playing in less than 8 minutes.

Mr. C. W. Belva, who was on the hose wagon, thinking the vehicle was going to collide with an electric pole at the Glasgow House corner, jumped and rolled over several times on the road, but was not hurt.

The Government now holds 133 seats in the House of Commons, as against 78 Opposition, showing a Ministerial majority of 57. There are, however, four seats yet vacant.

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Over \$13,000 was spent on grand-fatherly walks in Rat Portage last year. The work cost 114 to 146 per foot, the larger figure being for the more substantial walks.

Up to date there have been 33 casualties in the Canadian division of the South African Constabulary. Nine have died of wounds, while 24 have succumbed to disease.

The Indian, Wahy, sentenced at Hull to five years imprisonment for killing a for trader named McCab, may be released. He was tried and convicted in the wrong court.

Gunnors Ballard and Forest, "A" Field, Battery, Kingston, deserted yesterday, and it is thought they went across the border. Gunnors Jeanne also attempted to get away, but was caught.

Snack thieves stolen from Montreal and burned promissory notes to the value of \$8,750.

A tract of land near Field, B. C., has been set aside as a public park under the title of "Yoho Park Reserve." Comprised within the district are several glaciers, large waterfalls, and other scenic attractions.

BELLEFEUILLE IS SPEEDY.

In a private letter to the Free Press Nautical man Capt. Duff Barber of Mr. Bunnell's steam yacht "Grecia" who is at present in Montreal, has the following to say of the chances of "Gabe" Bellefeuille, the speedy Rat Portage skater, in the championship races:—"Gabe" Bellefeuille, from Rat Portage, and myself are doing the rounds. We are both honorary members of M.A. & A. and are at the rink three or four times a day. Gabe is going to show up these fellows here, sure. They had some club races last night, (Jan. 13th) would not let him in. He had his skates on and after the races started joined in behind, and took about 30 why it was dead easy for him to keep up. The other boys were dead when they finished and Bellefeuille was not even wet.



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We had been driven below Cape Horn hundreds of miles by a fierce gale lasting eleven successive days and nights, and one morning we found ourselves among the ice and almost wrecked aloft. The gale had blown itself out, but the situation was one calling for the best seamanship and the keenest vigilance. Only steam whalers and exploring vessels get as far south as we found our position to be except by accident. During the three days we were putting the bark shipshape we were packed in a field of ice extending as far as the eye could see on every hand, and even had we been a twin screw steamer I doubt if we could have worked clear of it. It was field ice broken from the coast of some island, and some of the cakes were a good twelve feet thick and almost as hard as flint.

On the fourth day we found ourselves driving down among six or eight great icebergs, and the boats were provisioned and other preparations made to leave the bark at a moment's notice. The odds would be a thousand to one that the boats would be ground to pieces in ten minutes, but we had to take them. While we helplessly waited the field struck a berg which was estimated to be a solid cube measuring about 2,000 yards on every front and towering up over a hundred feet high. There was a grand crash, and the berg began to slowly topple. It was like a tree falling, only much slower. "It took a long minute for that monstrous cube to turn turtle, and as the top reached the water the mass cracked in twain with a report like the firing of a cannon. The sun looked up gradually, opened a wide lane in the icefield, and the bark was headed in and had clear sailing for ten miles before we found the passage blocked by one of the biggest bergs ever set afloat. Had that berg been measured I should have had some wonderful figures to set down here, but it was impossible for us to

believe it. We could see every line in their faces, and every instant it seemed as if they would move a leg or an arm. We had brought a rope with us, and I managed to lasso a boulder and pull myself up on a level with the victims. I judged that there was at least three feet of solid ice before them, but it was wonderfully transparent.

It was easy to guess what had happened. Somewhere thousands of miles away, where a great glacier crept down to the sea, the tourist had set out with the guides to explore, and snow or ice had given way under them and dropped them down perhaps a hundred feet. In time the crevasse filled up solid, and as the ice was pushed down into the sea a berg was born, and the corpses were carried away with it. One could not say from the dress how long a time had elapsed. We must judge from the fact that, though we reported the case three months later, the identity of the tourist has not yet been discovered.

We returned to the bark to report what we had seen, and I offered to take ropes and axes and blasting powder and return and secure the dead. The captain favored the idea, perhaps thinking it would profit us in some way, but circumstance stepped in to prevent me from carrying out my plan. As we were getting ready the berg began to revolve in a slow and stately way, and at the end of an hour the western face had turned due south, and such a sea was beating on it that no landing was possible. To make our way over the berg we should have needed wings. The movement of the berg crowded the icefields, and the result was the opening of a narrow lane to the north. We were watching and waiting for it, and the bark was soon warped in and sail made. We were lucky enough to keep this lane until it led us quite out of the floating ice and further danger, and looking back as we sailed every man of the crew saw the figures as the three of us had seen them. The spray seemed to dash against their frozen faces and the waves to rant and growl like hungry wolves, but we knew they would not be given to the sea until their strange coffin had drifted out of that frozen and desolated sea into sunshine and warmth.

Superstitious Brokers.

"Wall street brokers as a class are as superstitious as women," said one of them, "and there is hardly a speculator in the street who could not own up to some bit of superstition if he would. I mean the kind of nonsensical superstition that decides his action occasionally. My own is about as silly as that of any man's, but as it has won me lots of money I am going to cling to it. It originated about eight years ago when I found a fifty cent piece on the sidewalk. It was the first money that I had ever found in that way, and I had a feeling that luck was with me on that day. I plumped on everything that I had been hesitating about, and when I settled up I found myself well ahead. After that I fell into the habit of keeping on the lookout for coins in the street. You would be surprised to see the collection that I have at home, for I have never spent any of this lucky money. It now amounts to more than six dollars, and that first fifty cent piece is the largest in the lot.

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THE COWBOY.

Advancing Settlements in British Columbia Further North in the East.

Alberta has been long known to the balance of Canada as a stock country (says The Sentinel published at Frank, Alberta), and the old and woolly cowboy, with his high-heeled boots, big sombrero, and leather chaps, has long been king of the roost, busting bronches, and herding horned cattle all over the broad expanse of Alberta's prairies, and far up into the foothills of the main Rockies. But as with the wolves' and old-time bull-whackers, his field is becoming limited, and, what with the mining towns springing up in the foothills and the looking in of settlers into the prairie sections who are cutting farmers' throats, the old-time cowboy will fade away in Alberta, the same as he has long in Colorado and Montana, drifting into other pursuits, or stymieing out further into the wilderness in search of free grazing ground and a boundless range.

The cowboy, like the prospector, found a place in the settling up and civilizing of the West that is not only unique but could not have been filled by any other class of men. He was the forerunner of civilization on the plains, driving the cattle back out into the unknown lands and making a stand-off with the Indians.

He originated back East, on the farm, where he was a free-lance boy, he learned to bust bronches by riding Old Bill around the pasture field, and as he grew older, and finally up from the back saddle to be killed, he dropped and landed for the day when he would be a wild cowboy with a big gun and an aspect of terror to timid women and children. By being a good boy and picking pretty girls, and doing chores for the neighbors whose boys had grown up and gone, he accumulated enough of the white-wash to buy a ticket out West, and after bidding a tearful farewell to the old folk and being supplied with a lunch basket bigger than the wagon he is destined to occupy for many a long day, he starts out. He arrives usually at his destination, some new railroad town, on the edge of the settled plain, that looks to the pilgrim like an absolute desert. Here the buildings are built up of high boards, stood on end, and every other place bears the legend, "Saloon." Here he gets his first experience of frontier life, his first future companions, the cow-herds, introduced to him by bucking bronchos, meets the ranch foreman, and knows put for \$30 a month to go out on the ranch, to herd on flat-tops, butte, and black robes, and work eighteen hours a day and say that he likes it. He invests his last cent in a big six-shooter and becomes a brimmed hat, and his six months is a bill-forded for a year, or a riding himself on being able to sell horses, secure a horse, and stand up under more whiskey than any other man in the range.

In about a year he commences to realize that life on the range is not all sunshine, that driving cattle out of the brush to range is not fun by any means, and that to see to it that the angry fierceness of an old cow who will hunt and hunt him after he has pulled for out of the mud. He finds out that successful cattle raising is a business, that it means hard work and the exercise of brain tissue. Then, if he has the right kind of leather in him, he either makes up his mind to quit punching or to stay on the range.

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WE PUT OUT AN ICE ANCHOR AND MADE
FASTE.

more than guess at its dimensions.
The waves had squared its four sides
to a great extent, but above their wash
the berg was full of hills, valleys and
ravines, and it would have been impos-
sible to cross it.

As there was no way to dodge the
berg, we put out an ice anchor and
made fast to drive with it until an
opening should occur. The side on
which we were was as straight up and
down as a wall, and though the wind
was whistling far overhead, it was
scarcely to be felt on deck. We passed
a very quiet night, and soon after sun-
rise next morning the captain ordered
me to take two men and pass over the
field ice and get a view of the western
face of the berg. If I found that it
could be done, I was to climb up and
look to the north for dog water.

As the great edges of ice were wedged
together in the greatest confusion, and
the ice was necessarily slow, and it was
a matter of two hours before we turned
the corner of the berg and lost sight of
the bark. I judged the western face
to be a mile long but it was not as
steep as the southern. About midway
of its length we came to a gully, up
which we toiled for a matter of 200
yards. We then found our way blocked
by a cliff fifty feet high. It was a cliff
of ice, of course, though here and there
one could see a boulder creeping out.

It was blue ice, almost as reflective
as a mirror, and it would have turned
the edge of an ax like granite. We
stood staring and resting, but enough
with our exertions, when one of the
sailors leaped aside and cried out:

"I'll be shot if there are not ship-
wrecked people right here above us!
Look here, sir! And why haven't they
raised a shout?"

What I saw and what we all gazed
at with open mouths was a slight few
men will ever boast of seeing. About
thirty feet above our heads a man
dressed as a mountain tourist, an Eng-
lishman apparently, was lying at full
length with his face toward us. One
arm was doubled up under him, his
other outstretched. He was fully dress-
ed, had a cap on his head, and his eyes
were wide open. There was a rope
around his waist, and that rope led
back to the body of a guide and still a
second one. I say guide because from
their dress and looks I believed them
to be such. One was huddled up as if
his bones were broken, while the other
lay sprawled on his back. The three
of us had, under our caps and cheered
before the thought came to us that
these men were dead—dead and frozen
into that stony ice for heaven only
knows how long. And yet it was hard

them, and there was hardly a speculator
in the street who could not own up to
some bit of superstition if he would. I
mean the kind of non-sensical supersti-
tion that decides his action occasionally.
My own is about as silly as that of
any man's, but as it has won me lots of
money I am going to cling to it. It
originated about eight years ago when
I found a fifty-cent piece on the side-
walk. It was the first money that I
had ever found in that way, and I had
a feeling that luck was with me on
that day. I plunged on everything that
I had been hesitating about, and when
I settled up I found myself way ahead.
After that I fell into the habit of keep-
ing on the lookout for coins in the
street. You would be surprised to see
the collection that I have at home, for
I have never spent any of this lucky
money. It now amounts to more than
six dollars, and that first fifty-cent
piece is the largest in the lot.

On days when I have found a coin I
have pushed my luck successfully.
Once or twice when I have hesitated
about doing anything in the market I
have gone out and walked around the
streets, hoping to find a coin. I never
have found one on such excursions,
and each time I stayed out of the mar-
ket, which proved to be the thing to do.
I know as well as you do the foolish-
ness of superstition, but I can't shake
it out of me."—New York Sun.

The Lieutenant Governor.
In his book, "Up From Slavery,"
Booker T. Washington wrote:

"The temptations to enter political
life were so alluring that I came very
near yielding to them at one time. I
saw colored men who were members of
the state legislatures and county offi-
cers who could not read or write and
whose morals were as weak as their
education. Not long ago, when passing
through the streets of a certain city in
the south, I heard some brackishness
calling out from the top of a two-story
brick building for the 'governor' to
hurry up and bring up some more
bricks. Several times I heard the com-
mand: 'Hurry up, governor! 'Hurry
up, governor!' My curiosity was aroused
to such an extent that I made inquiry
as to who the 'governor' was and
soon found that he was a colored man
who at one time had held the position
of lieutenant governor of his state."

I asked an old colored man to tell
me something of his history. He said
that he had been born in Virginia and
sold into Alabama in 1845. I asked him
how many were sold at the same time.
He replied: "There were five of us—my-
self and brother and three mules."

King Oscar and the Young Reporter.
On one occasion Oscar II. went to
Gothenburg to attend a dedication of
the opening of something or other
where he was expected to make a
speech. An enterprising reporter in-
tercepted him at a railway station
upon arrival to ask for a copy of his
manuscript in advance in order that it
might be published the same after-
noon, for there would be no time for a
stenographer to write out his notes
after delivery. The king smiled him
pleasantly and explained that he had
no manuscript; that he intended to
speak without notes. The reporter was
very much disappointed. He told the
king frankly that he was a new man,
and that his future standing with his
employer might be seriously affected if
he failed to get the speech. King Oscar
responded sympathetically, motivated
to the reporter to get into his carriage,
and while they were driving to the hotel
gave a brief synopsis of what he ex-
pected to say.—Chicago Record Herald.

future companions the cow-herds, be-
introduced to a bucking broncho,
meets the ranch foreman, and waves
out for \$300 a month to go out on
the ranch, to live on flapjacks, but-
ter, and black coffee, and work
eighteen hours a day and say that
he likes it. He invests his last
pennies in a big six-shooter and a
brimmed hat, and in six months is a
millionaire. You know, a riding
man, and being able to ride horses
easily, handle, and stand up under
more whirling than any other. You
like the story?

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realize that life on the range is not
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means hard work and the wearing of
brain tissue. Then, if he has the
right kind of leather in him, he
takes up his mind to quit punching
or settles down to business to
accumulate enough to start a herd
for himself, walks away from trou-
ble, and lets loose again. He has
thus rounded the stage in his career
when he becomes a good citizen and
a good father, and he looks with dis-
trust upon the tenderfoot who pulls
his hat, slaps his horse over the
head, yells like a "fool hahn," and
who is more likely to shoot himself
in a row than anyone else.

But he, like the Indian, is begin-
ning to feel the effects of the hard-
work, for what was once the
hardy pioneer, now is a man who
wonders at what he has done, and
becoming dotted with the settlers'
homesteads, and he must seek his
new lands farther north if he wishes
to enjoy the old freedom and have
room to give his exasperated forty-mile
tallpot straight-away without having
to get down and lead him through
some farmer's gate.

Being a Good Business.
A Toronto woman, while shopping
the other day, thoughtlessly picked
up an umbrella belonging to another
woman and started to walk off with
it. The owner stopped her, and the
absent-minded woman, with many
apologies, returned the umbrella.

The incident served to remind her
that she needed such an umbrella in
her own family, so she bought two
for her daughters and one for her-
self.

Later in the day, when she was on
her way home, armed with the three
umbrellas, she happened to glance up,
and saw directly opposite her in the
road the very woman with whom she
had had the unfortunate experience
in the morning.

The second woman stared at the
three umbrellas very hard for several
minutes, and then, with a signifi-
cant smile, she leaned forward and
said in a low tone: "I see you have
had a successful morning."

What Max O'Reilly was.
I should like to see education, so
much that everybody might be
taught to cutting stones, and laying
bricks, and I hope the Scottish-Amer-
ican millionaire's gift to the Scot-
tish universities may tend that way.

When the educated commoner re-
turns to his class, that class will be
misled, and not till then, that is
said, I believe, will Scotland, the
land of modern society and stand-
ing, be no longer.

Further Particulars.
Miss Saltwater—Mrs. Smythe tells
me that her father had distinction
on the bench.

Miss Winthrop—Yes, he was a shoe
maker.



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less at night, and got up in the morning
as tired as when I went to bed."

"I had no energy and was in a most
able state of health."
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I got Richard's blood, which restored me
from a condition of a weak and
health. They brought me back to my
normal state, and I am now as strong
as I ever was, and my mind is as clear
as a bell."

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suffering from the effects of St. Vitus's
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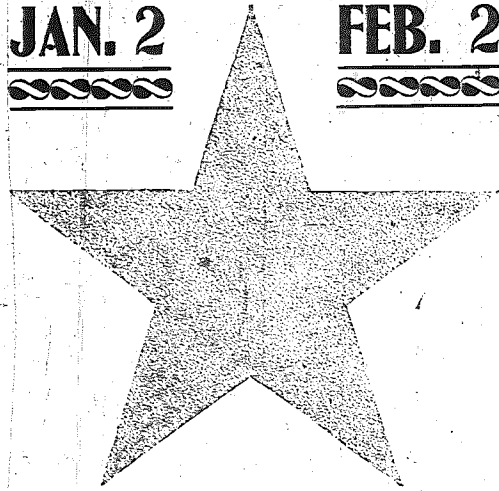
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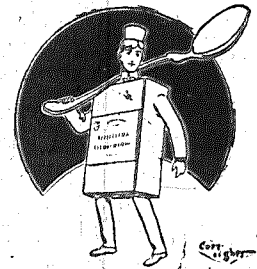
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Mr. Frank Bolton, of Manchester, Eng., is at the Hilliard.

Mr. Geo. A. Graham, of the Navigation Co., returned this morning from Fort William.

Mr. H. Proudlock, the mining contractor, left this morning to return to claim Mill on Shoal lake where he will do some development work for the new company.

Mr. C. F. Allen, of St. Paul, arrived last night and is staying at the Hilliard.

Lyons is still ahead in the inter-city competitions. He has won 7 and lost 1, making 8 games played.

Percival made a mistake and got the wrong arm—or rather the right arm vaccinated, and now it is feared that he will fall down. He is playing a splendid game, too.

Mr. Phil. Jaques, of the Hotel du Canada, Winnipeg, was in town over Sunday visiting his half brother, Mr. Geo. Pagon.

Mr. J. Werner is improving in health but is still unable to leave his room.

Rev. R. Nairn, B.A., has taken charge of the Norman Presbyterian church until spring.

Proved His Innocence.
An amusing story is told of a clergyman, who, taking occasional duty for a friend in one of the moorland churches of a remote part of England, was greatly scandalized on observing the old vicar, who had been collecting the offertory, quietly abstract a half crown before presenting the plate at the altar rails. After the service he called the old man into the vestry and told him with emotion that his crime had been discovered. The vicar looked puzzled. Then a sudden light dawned on him. "Why, sir, you don't mean that old half-crown of mine? Why, I've 'led off' with he this last fifteen years."

Could Dream at Will.
A physician mentions the case of a man who could be made to dream of any subject by whispering about it into his ear while he slept; and it is a familiar fact that persons who talk in their sleep will frequently answer questions if spoken to softly.

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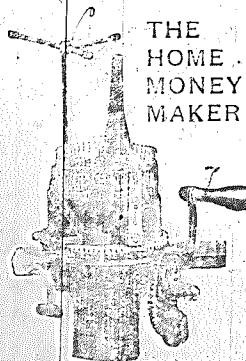
Mr. Joseph Geroux, 22 Metcalf street, Ottawa, Ont., writes:—
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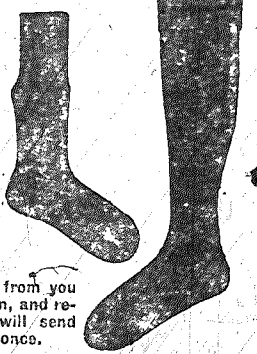
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